**Supplementary Table S10**. RNA-sequencing quality parameters.

|   | mean  | (SD)  |
|---|-------|-------|
|   |       |       |
| Total clusters (in millions) <sup>a</sup>                 | 32.3  | (1.2) |
| Total reads (in millions) <sup>b</sup>                    | 64.5  | (2.4) |
| Qual score <sup>c</sup>                                   | 36.0  | (0.1) |
| % rRNA <sup>d</sup>                                       | 5.6   | (1.2) |
| Number of genes detected                                  | 13667 | (156) |
| % Transcriptome mapped <sup>e</sup>                       | 51.8  | (1.9) |
| % All reads mapped <sup>f</sup>                           | 90.9  | (1.3) |
| % Mapped bases  |       |       |
| 'A'   | 22.7  | (0.3) |
| 'C'   | 25.7  | (0.3) |
| 'G'   | 25.3  | (0.3) |
| 'T'   | 26.3  | (0.4) |
| Reads aligned to transcriptome (in millions) <sup>g</sup> | 33.0  | (1.8) |
| % Alignment to transcriptome <sup>h</sup>                 | 51.1  | (1.9) |
| Mapped reads (in millions) <sup>i</sup>                   | 72.9  | (2.8) |
| % Reads aligned <sup>j</sup>                              | 91.8  | (1.3) |
| Total alignments (in millions) <sup>k</sup>               | 63.8  | (3.1) |
| Mean mapping quality <sup>1</sup>                         | 170.8 | (5.3) |
| Mean read length (bp) <sup>m</sup>                        | 50.9  | (0.0) |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Total clusters: Number of reads in the library -- prealignment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> Number of reads: Total reads for this sample -- postalignment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> Qual score: Average read quality (reads 1 and 2)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>d</sup> % rRNA: Percent of reads aligning to ribosomal RNAs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>e</sup> % Transcriptome mapped: Percentage of reads that are mapped to the transcriptome

f % All reads mapped: Percent of reads mapped either to the transcriptome or the genome

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>g</sup> Reads aligned to transcriptome: The number of reads aligned to the transcriptome

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>h</sup> Percent alignment to transcriptome: The percent of reads aligned to the transcriptome

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>i-m</sup> Statistics representing a combination of alignment to the transcriptome and subsequent alignment to the genome

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Mapped reads: The number of reads aligned to either the transcriptome or the genome

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> % Reads aligned: The percent of reads aligned to the transcriptome or the genome

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Total alignments: Total number of alignments, including ambiguous ones

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Mean mapping quality: A measure of how well a read aligned to the sequence. This is a mean of those quality values; subject to skewing because of ambiguous reads.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>m</sup> Mean read length: The average read length, typically shorter than the max because of sequence clipping